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PATENT APPLICATION

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 1734**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Satoru KATAGAMI et al.

Group Art Unit: 1734

Application No.: 10/043,244

Examiner: G. KOCH

Filed: January 14, 2002

Docket No.: 111373

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING COLOR FILTERS BY
DISCHARGING MATERIAL

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the August 28, 2005 Office Action, reconsideration of the rejection and objections is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.

Claims 1-7, 13, 14, 16-20, 23 and 25 are pending in this application. By this Request for Reconsideration, withdrawn claims 8-12, 15, 21, 22, 24 and 26 are canceled.

I. Terminal Disclaimer

The Applicants gratefully acknowledge the Examiner's receipt and acceptance of the Terminal Disclaimer filed on June 10, 2005.

II. Claim Rejections Under 35 U.S.C. §103(a)

The Office Action rejects claims 1-5, 13, 14 and 16-18 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) over U.S. Patent No. 6,290,352 to Marumoto et al. (hereinafter "Marumoto") in view of U.S.